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LEAGUE OF NATIONS TO ACT ON BALKAN WAR

CHINESE FASCISTS UNITED WITH IMPERIALISTS USE MURDERS AND JAILS AGAINST THE KUOMINTANG

By Li L'ui Chin.
(Correspondence from Peking.)
PEKING, Sept. 1.—(By Mail.)—We pointed out in our previous communications that fascism is seeking new forms of development in China, organizing terrorist acts against prominent revolutionaries, and inciting "attacks" of the "masses of people" against the revolutionary and labor movement.

ANTHRACITE MINERS HEAR COMMUNISTS

Mayor Breaks Up the Meeting with Police

(Special to The DAILY WORKER.)
SHENANDOAH, Pa., Oct. 23.—Two hundred and fifty hard coal miners heard Norman H. Tallentire, district organizer of the Workers Party, and A. Zalsp, Lithuanian section organizer in the anthracite, demand a hundred per cent strike of the anthracite miners and a real fight to win the strike against the bosses.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the Lithuanian Literary Club which invited the miners of the neighborhood to come to the meeting to hear the issues of the strike presented from the standpoint of the progressive miners.

Capitalist Mayor Spies for Lewis
The meeting had scarcely opened when the mayor of Shenandoah appeared and warned the speakers that if anything was said "against the United Mine Workers of America," meaning the Lewis machine, that they would be run out of town.

Despite the warning, Comrade Zalsp spoke for an hour and a half on the issues of the strike, showing that the Lewis machine, by refusing to call out the maintenance men, refusing to mobilize all the miners for winning the strike. During Zalsp's speech, the mayor returned with about a dozen followers, consisting of state police, federal department of justice agents and local miners' spies.

Tallentire Urges Labor Party
Norman Tallentire was introduced to the meeting and urged the miners to fight for their full program and demand a general strike of all miners in support of their demands. He urged the need of a labor party as a means of ousting the agents of the mine bosses in control of the political power and to prevent them from using it against the miners.

During Tallentire's speech, one of the mine bosses' spies shouted, "How

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DETROIT MEMBERSHIP MEETING SUNDAY TO HELP DAILY WORKER

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 23.—The Detroit district is planning a big drive to rally the workers to the rescue of the DAILY WORKER.

On Sunday, Oct. 25, a general membership meeting will be held at the House of the Masses to organize for the mobilization of all the workers possible to save the DAILY WORKER.

Every member must be present. This is the most important work that a comrade can do now for the party. The DAILY WORKER must be saved and the comrades of the Detroit district will do much more than their bit.

Protest Meeting Against Horthy Murders Saturday

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 23.—The workers of Detroit will protest against the bloody white terror in Hungary this Saturday, Oct. 24, at 8 p. m.

The meeting is being called under the auspices of the International Labor Defense Council. It will be held at the Peninsular Hall on West Jefferson and West End Aves. James P. Cannon, secretary of the International Labor Defense Council, will be the main speaker. There will also be a speaker in Hungarian.

Negro Workers Gather Here

COUNTESS KAROLYI CHARGES KELLOGG ACTED FOR HUNGARY

(Special to The Daily Worker)

PARIS, Oct. 23.—"I harbor no ill feelings—it must be a mistake," Countess Katinka Karolyi made this mild comment today on the action of the United States government in refusing her admittance.

The countess admitted that the refusal of a visa was a blow to her particularly to her financial position, as she has been forced to cancel her lecture tour in the United States.

The countess and her husband received the correspondent in their rooms in a modest Montparnasse boarding house and were quite ready to discuss the action of Secretary Kellogg.

"No reasons have been given for the refusal to grant me a visa," the countess said, "but I am sure that it was due to pressure from the Hungarian government. I feel certain that the state department appreciates my silence at the meetings last year when I might have pleaded my husband's cause, because I had their assurance when I left America on April 3 that they would allow me to return in October."

ENGDAHL PICTURES ANTICS OF REACTIONARIES AT ATLANTIC CITY A. F. OF L. CONVENTION

Vividly describing the recent American Federation of Labor convention at Atlantic City, J. Louis Engdahl, editor of The DAILY WORKER, on Thursday evening in Northwest Hall, aroused intense interest among the members of the Chicago Trade Union Educational League.

Showing a keen grasp of the inner workings of the official machine, Engdahl related the reception accorded the various left wing resolutions.

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College Graduate Offers Self to Boss for \$30 Per Week

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—From the district of Columbia bureau of the United States employment service is issued a list of men and women wanting jobs, and stating their qualifications.

One man offers himself at \$30 a week, altho a graduate of Yale and another university, is experienced in national organizations, banking, political economy, trade, stenography, and speaks French and German.

ITALY NOW HAS COLONIAL WAR IN SOMALILAND

Natives Rise Against Dictators

ROME, Oct. 23.—The Italian fascist government is the third European power to be involved in a colonial war. France has her hands full in Syria and Morocco, Spain has all that she can handle in Morocco, and now Italy is being kept busy in Somaliland.

Italian troops have begun their advance on Obbia, where the natives have been preparing to throw off the iron heel that Italian fascist government have had on their necks for a long time.

Gen. Di Vecchit, the Italian governor of Somaliland, has contemplated the possibilities of a military expedition a long time ago and this move of the infantry plus the bombing of many of the coast towns by Italian battleships four of which are at Hattun-Aduba is an attempt to crush the feeling of the natives for an independent Somaliland.

Very little news is forthcoming as to the progress of the battles as a strict military censorship prevails.

NEGRO LABOR MEET OPENS SUNDAY NIGHT

Many Delegates Arrive From South and East

Delegates are arriving from many of the large industrial centers of the south and east to attend the sessions of the American Negro Labor Congress which opens Sunday night, Oct. 25 with a grand celebration at the Metropolitan Community Center, 3118 Giles Ave., corner East 31st St.

Delegates from the mining districts of West Virginia, the steel mills of Pennsylvania and the pottery works of Ohio have already arrived.

Telegrams from the union organizations in Louisiana, Texas and Florida, have arrived notifying the congress arrangements committee that delegates are on the way.

All delegates to the congress are being registered at the American Negro Labor Congress headquarters, 3454 Indiana Ave., and then they are quartered in a nearby hotel.

"The workers and farmers of Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama are looking forward to the opening of the American Negro Labor Congress in Chicago as a new epoch in the life of the Negro in the South," declared Norval Allen, southern organizer for the American Negro Labor Congress, in an interview with the representative of The DAILY WORKER upon his arrival in Chicago.

"The organized and unorganized workers and farmers of the South are looking forward to this congress."

The sessions of the congress which will take place during the day will be open to the public and the representatives of all the newspapers.

During the evening there will be large mass meetings at which speakers of the different races will talk on the work before the Negro workers and farmers in America.

Bishop William Montgomery Brown, expelled by the house of labor views, has sent a telegram to the American Negro Labor Congress informing them he will be able to speak before the Tuesday evening mass meeting.

STRIKE BREAKING AID WITHDRAWN FROM CITY OF PANAMA YESTERDAY

(Special to The Daily Worker)

PANAMA, Oct. 23.—Now that General Lassiter, commanding the invading U. S. troops in Panama City have reported that "the saloons are open," Governor Burgess of the canal zone yesterday notified President Chiasi that the soldiers will leave Panama City at once. The decision followed a conference between Chiasi, Lassiter and acting American Minister Munro.

GARY SEES SILVER LININGS FOR U. S. IN CLOUDS OVER ENGLAND

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—"We are on the eve of great prosperity," declared Judge E. H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel corporation and president of the American iron and steel institute, addressing that body at the convention here today.

Judge Gary referred to the many advantages this country enjoys and said that it had almost unlimited wealth and certainly unlimited prospects of wealth. There was no reason, he declared, why the steel industry in the United States should ever "be in the dumps."

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Industry in Great Britain has reached a low ebb, according to cable reports, the European division of the department of commerce announced today.

Unemployment increased to 1,418,000 September 1, compared with 1,190,000 for the same date last year. Increased unemployment was noted in the coal mining, iron mining, tin plate, linen and wool textile industries. Only the building trades and some sections of cotton and machinery had improved slightly.

WU PEI-FU GATHERING ARMIES AGAINST CHANG; PEKING COMPROMISES

(Special to The Daily Worker)

SHANGHAI, Oct. 23.—Wu Pei-fu, in arriving at Hankow, says the time has come to correct the "maladministration of the country" by force and return to a legal basis. He adds that fourteen provinces have asked him to take the field against Chang-Tao-lin and that he hopes for the aid of Feng-Yu-hsiang. He warns the powers not to begin the tariff conferences, since its decisions might later be declared illegal.

The Peking government is trying to save itself and the imperialists with wholesale compromises and territorial division with the opposition, but the time for such is passed. Chang Chun-chang, commander of Shantung, has ordered mobilization of Fengtien troops to oppose the northward advance of the armies of Peking and Chang Tso-lin.

Train Kills Farmer.

SAVANNAH, Ill., Oct. 23.—Francis M. Edgerton, 60, farmer, was instantly killed and his son, Newell, 22, was fatally injured when their auto which stalled on a Burlington crossing at Balding was struck by a limited train.

GOVERNORS ASK REPEAL OF TAX ON RICH HEIRS

Congress May Probe New Scandal

(Special to The Daily Worker)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Calvin Coolidge and his secretary of the treasury, Andrew D. Mellon, are exerting all their national political prestige in order to protect the spawn of the millionaires and billionaires of this country from paying heavy inheritance taxes.

Every available politician is being rushed to Washington in an effort to present an imposing array that will scare the ways and means committee into accepting the Coolidge-Mellon tax program.

Flocks of Governors.
A procession of state governors and their representatives filed by the ways and means committee, which is framing the new tax law, today and lent their support to the Coolidge-Mellon drive for abolition of federal inheritance taxes.

The magnitude and vigor of the drive for repeal of the death tax on big estates was distinctly surprising to the congressional framers of the new law—so much so, in fact, that several members of the committee suggested it might be well to "investigate" the interests behind it.

Who Furnishes Money.
Representative Rainey, democrat of (Continued on page 2)

FRENCH RESPOND TO BULGARIA AS BRITISH INFLUENCE IS SEEN URGING AGGRESSION BY GREEKS

(Special to The Daily Worker)

PARIS, France, Oct. 23.—M. Aristide Briand, French foreign minister, and president of the council of the league of nations, has hurriedly called that body to meet Monday in this city and investigate the cause of the border warfare between Greece and Bulgaria.

French official opinion views the situation with alarm and no effort is made to conceal the fact that they consider the trouble in the Balkans as likely to flame into another European war.

France is not prepared for such a war. It is not thought that England, the backer of Greece, is desirous of a conflict. It is unquestionably the power of Britain behind Greece that has encouraged that nation to take such aggressive measures.

The French ruling class is sympathetic toward the Zankov terror that rules Bulgaria, because of heavy financial investments in this country.

LYNCHING WOMEN AND BURNING NEGROES A PRACTICE OF U. S. "CULTURE," WITH SOUTH LEADING

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Ninety women have been lynched in the United States since 1889, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People announces from its compilation of lynching statistics. Most of the women were colored women.

Except for one case in Nebraska, one in Wyoming and two in Missouri (only one of the Missouri women colored; three others white), all the cases are from southern states: Alabama, 9; Arkansas, 9; Florida, 3; Georgia, 3; Kentucky, 5; Louisiana, 5; Mississippi, 16; North Carolina, 2; Oklahoma, 3; South Carolina, 6; Tennessee, 7; Texas, 11; Virginia and West Virginia, one each. A full list of names, dates and places is issued by the N. A. A. C. P. The last case occurred in 1923.

A folder entitled Burned Alive in Mississippi—Sunday Sept. 20, 1925, which reproduces the front page of the News-Sentinel of Memphis, Tenn., showing the lynching of a Negro at Rocky Ford, Miss., in photos and giving first hand accounts is "submitted without comment to the President of the United States, the Congress, the American People" by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, New York City.

With the quotation "An Odor of Burning Flesh Reached my Nostrils" on the outside, the folder is an effective protest against lynch law in the United States.

PURCELL SPEAKS AT ST. LOUIS ON NOVEMBER FIFTH

Big Crowd of Unionists Is Expected

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 23.—A. A. Purcell, president of the International Federation of Trade Unions and fraternal delegate to the American Federation of Labor convention will speak in St. Louis Nov. 5. He will speak at Sheldon Memorial Auditorium, 3648 Washington Blvd.

Purcell will arrive in St. Louis from Kansas City, where it is reported he is to speak Nov. 4, which will be his first speech of the tour.

A committee composed of delegates from a number of local unions is handling the local arrangements. Tickets are being sold to St. Louis trade union men and speakers are making union meetings, explaining the importance of Purcell's mission.

It is expected that the Sheldon Auditorium, which is one of the popular lecture halls of St. Louis, will be taxed to capacity to accommodate the crowd that will turn out, as most of the rank and file trade unionists are enthusiastic about Purcell's message.

Brother Chas. Blome, a prominent member of the Iron Molders' Union and president of the St. Louis Metal Trades Council, is secretary of the local arrangements committee.

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"BOMB" HURLED AT SCABS ONLY WEAK LAXATIVE

Passerby Drops Bottle; Police Shoot Strikers

The much heralded acid bomb throwing on the part of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers pickets that have been stationed at the International Tailoring Co. plant on Jackson Blvd. for the past seventeen weeks, at the scabs belonging to the United Garment Workers union was nothing more than an ordinary bottle of magnesia accidentally dropped by a passerby.

As the union business agents and a number of pickets were proceeding up Sangamon street, the cavalcade of 7 automobiles containing the United Garment Workers scabs passed. As the autos containing the scabs passed, a bottle of citrate of magnesia was accidentally dropped by a passerby who had purchased the bottle at one of the neighborhood drug-stores.

Shoot First, Look Later.

The police without waiting to investigate the cause or nature of the report which the bottle made as it broke on the cement sidewalk, drew their guns and immediately began firing at the union business agents, pickets and passerby. The union members and passersby immediately began to scurry for shelter not realizing what the shooting was about. Some of the scabs jumped out of the automobiles and also began to run for shelter in the neighboring doorway.

In the shooting, Harry Bejnarowicz, business agent of Loc. 39, Amalgamated Clothing Workers, was shot and the head of one of the scabs was undoubtedly struck by the "efficient" detectives and police that are guarding the "interests" of the International Tailoring Company.

Bejnarowicz was immediately arrested and later taken to the Bridewell hospital where the doctors found three bullets lodged in his body. Beulin Block, William Rocco, Mike Di Novi and Herbert Eisenhammer, business agents of the union were also arrested by the police for "bombing" the scabs. Casimirc Bogalski, Harry Edelman and Sam Hartzen, three innocent passerby, who are neither on strike nor members of the union were seized by the police and held as participants in the "bombing," were taken to the Desplaines street police station and later released on \$2,000 bail each furnished by the union.

After the shooting and arrests by the police an investigation disclosed that the "acid bomb" which was meant to maim and disfigure the scabs was nothing more than a bottle of citrate of magnesia, a laxative, purchased at a neighborhood drugstore.

The case against the arrested passerby and the union business agents which came up before the Desplaines Street police court has been postponed until Dec. 3rd.

GREEK OCCUPATION OF BULGAR TERRITORY CONTINUES DESPITE ANNOUNCEMENT OF PEACE TERMS

(Special to The Daily Worker)

ATHENS, Greece, Oct. 23.—Despite the pronouncement by the Pangalos military dictatorship of Greece that all military movements against Bulgaria have ceased, since the Bulgarian representative at Athens has in behalf of the Zankov government promised to pay the 2,000,000 gold franc indemnity demanded for the killing of Greek soldiers near Demirhisar, occupation of Bulgarian territory continues.

The Sofia government has also agreed to make an apology for the raid in which Greek soldiers were killed by Bulgarian regulars.

Greece Refuses to Withdraw.

Greece still maintains its army in Bulgaria and insists she will keep her troops on Bulgarian soil until the final payment of the indemnity is made. She also demands that all Greek ports taken by Bulgarian troops be evacuated immediately.

Petrich in Flames

Information arriving from Petrich states that the Bulgarian town is in flames following the fierce bombardment by the Grecian artillery which has driven the Bulgars out of the town.

Jugoslav Troops Rush to Border

News arriving from Belgrade state that Jugoslav troops are being massed near the Bulgarian border. The Belgrade government will hold its troops in readiness to resist any attempt on the part of the Greek and Bulgarian troops to fight out their battles on Jugoslav soil.

Casualties Unknown

All news as to the casualties in this Greco-Bulgar flareup is being strictly censored and it is impossible to estimate the number of lives lost to satiate the greed of the Pangalos and Zankov governments.

DEAD HAND OF LODGE SMITES DEAD WILSON

Stupid Book Shows Up Both Satesmen

(Special to The Daily Worker.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Woodrow Wilson had "only himself to blame" for the failure of the United States senate to ratify the treaty of Versailles and the league of nations covenant, according to the late Senator Henry Cabot Lodge's version of the stirring events of 1919-20, published by Scribner's today, in the senator's book "The Senate and the League of Nations," which he completed only a month before his death.

Picturing the war president as a man consumed by personal ambition, and intolerant of any opinions other than his own, Senator Lodge's posthumous book foolishly declares that had Woodrow Wilson remained in Washington instead of going to Paris he would have changed the history of the world. But President Wilson, Lodge said, was intent more on the league than on the peace treaty, and he was intent upon the league because he believed he would lead it.

"The key to all he did was that he thought of everything in terms of Wilson... The thought of self always overshadowed in the ultimate decision and effaced every other consideration."

Senator Lodge did not consider Woodrow Wilson an idealist, but that himself an idealist. It is a dull book written by an old man calling another one names and has no historic or political value whatsoever.

Tammany Judge Denies Atheists the Right to Incorporate Society

(Special to The Daily Worker)

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Incorporation of "The American Association for the Advancement of Atheism" was disapproved yesterday by Supreme Court Justice Mitchell, who ordered the petition held by the clerk of the court and not returned to Attorney Charles Smith, petitioner of record. Mitchell, state supreme court justice, is a Roman Catholic and a Tammanyite, who thinks that those who expose the fraud of religion should be silenced. Where is the so-called freedom of thought and speech guaranteed by the constitution? Now about separation of church and state?

Tammany judges never bother about a trifle of that sort, any more than capitalist judges—in general bother constitutional provisions when it interferes with their business.

\$50,000 WORTH OF EMBALMED HORSE FLESH DESTINED FOR NEAR EAST CONSUMPTION DESTROYED BY FIRE

ROCKFORD, Ill., Oct. 23.—Canned horse meat destined for human consumption in the Near East and valued at \$50,000 was destroyed by fire, which gutted one wing of the Chappell Brothers Horse Packing Co.

The fire is believed to have been kindled by persons incensed at the rumors of sickly and worn-out horses being used as food for human consumption.

Striking Anthracite Coal Miners Hear Communist Message

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about Russia?" Tallentire replied that the workers had established a government which was on their side in the fight against the bosses and he was showing why the workers of Pennsylvania should do the same thing.

After Tallentire's speech in relation to the labor party, the need of ousting the agents of the bosses and police, the mayor, who was half-drunk, started a disturbance and demanded that the hall be cleared. He directed the state police to take charge of Tallentire and Zalsp. While they were being pushed toward the door of the hall they were separated from the police and stepped into a waiting automobile before the police had time enough to think and put them under arrest.

The interruption of the meeting by the mayor and his police has caused a considerable amount of unrest among the miners. It is the subject of general discussion, and the miners are demanding that the authorities do not disturb their gatherings.

Many Demand Strike Relief

With the anthracite strike running close to the end of the second month, there is a general demand for strike relief in the local unions. Many of the local unions have already paid out the money in their treasuries for their members and are asking that the national organization use the funds which are being collected from the maintenance men who are taxed \$5 every two weeks for relief of the strikers.

Resolutions to this effect have been adopted in a number of local unions and the movement demanding that the Lewis machine use the funds of the unions to support the strike is growing in momentum.

At Troop, where the bosses endeavored to mine coal with scabs, 600 men stormed the strikebreakers and stopped the loading of coal. To all appearances, the strike which up to this time was considered as a sort of vacation and picnic by the miners, is entering into a stage where the miners have exhausted their funds and suffering is beginning to develop among them and with it a more militant fighting spirit to make the strike a real fight for the miners' demands.

Membership meetings of members of the Workers Party have been held in every strike center during the last week and the members mobilized for active struggle in the local unions to place them on record for a hundred per cent strike, no arbitration, and no settlement without a wage increase and demand that the international union furnish strike relief.

Progressive miners throughout the district are also mobilizing for a struggle against the expulsion of Pat Toohy from his local union and similar efforts to throw out other progressive miners from the organization.

British Raids on Communists Follow Labor Party Treason

not a defeat for the Communists; it was a blow for the working class. The purely liberal resolutions adopted, the reputation of the fight against imperialism and the Dawes plan, which are degrading our fellow workers abroad, and thereby striking at British conditions, the failure to face the capitalist attack on wages and hours, were intended to please the capitalists. The Trade Union Congress has frightened them; the decisions at Liverpool have reassured them.

"The Trade Union Congress issued a magnificent call for unity against the bosses—in the factories, between the unions, internationally. The labor party conference, by repudiating unity and rejecting resolutions based on the class struggle, extended an open invitation to the bosses to attack the workers. That is why the capitalist press is so delighted with the results and is already demanding that the attack should start by an onslaught on the Communist Party."

Capitalists Prepare Violence. "We are not afraid that the press campaign about Communists preaching violence, will prevent the workers from realizing that it is the capitalists who are preparing to use violence to crush labor."

"Follow workers! Follow the lead of your Trade Union Congress. Form factory committees to secure unity at the bottom! Send delegates from the factories to the trade councils, and thus consolidate your forces locally! Insist on the formation of the workers' alliance under the supreme authority of the general council. Meet the threat of organized strike-breaking and capitalist violence by insisting on the right to tell your brothers in the army and navy that they must not scab on the workers, and by forming your own defense corps against the O. M. S. and the fascists!"

"The labor party conference has shown how useless it is to rely on those who only utter left wing phrases and will not organize an opposition to the present liberal leadership of the labor party. If you are sincere in your hatred of capitalism, and your scorn for its agents and puppets in labor's ranks, you must translate your anger into organized opposition."

"Organize yourselves! For our part, we Communists, without forcing our opinions on you, will be willing to fight side by side with you. But no worker will believe that you intend to fight unless you organize."

NUCLEI FORMED IN SECTION 1 CHICAGO W. P.

Reorganization Goes Over on South Side

By MARTIN ASERN

Three shop nuclei and two street nuclei were the result of the first section membership meeting, held Wednesday, October 21, at Community Center, 3201 South Wabash Ave.

Two of the shop nuclei, Nos. 2 and 3, are in the clothing industry and have been in existence hitherto. Shop Nucleus No. 2 has four members and Shop Nucleus No. 3 also has four members. A comrade from outside the industry—a waiter—was attached to function with this shop and meanwhile to work to build a nucleus in his place of work, a restaurant.

Shop Nucleus No. 10, a machine shop nucleus, a new unit, was formed, consisting of three members. The members of Shop Nucleus No. 10 work in section three and will be transferred to that section.

Members in Various Industries.

The two street nuclei formed contain eleven and nine members, respectively, at this time. These street nuclei are made up of members working in various industries. Among the occupations listed in the street nuclei are painters, a chemist, a lawyer, student, housewives, bank clerk, office workers, party workers, artists, plumber, flour mill worker, and machinists.

Belong to Many Unions.

Union affiliations listed among the shop and street nuclei are seven members of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers Union, three of the Office Workers' Union, Bank Employees' Union, Cooks' and Waiters' Union, Painters' Union, and three in the Machinists' Union.

Forty-two comrades were present at this meeting, which included the members from the South Side English branch, which contained nearly all of the colored workers of the party, Englewood English, South Side Scandinavian, Shop Nucleus 2 and 3. The rain contributed to the absence of quite a few members, who will be attached as they are registered, to some shop nucleus or street nucleus.

Comrades at the meeting were assigned to reach the absent comrades that those may be registered and assigned.

Twelve of the comrades who attended this meeting were found to be either working or living in another section. These were instructed to attend another of the section meetings at which they will then be placed in their proper shop or street nucleus.

These twelve temporarily unassigned comrades were found to be employed as steel workers, butcher in the stockyards, printer, office workers, draftsman, party workers, milkman, cement worker, truck pointer, carpenter, laborers, athletic instructor. Union affiliations were Office Workers' Union, Draftsmen's Union, Typographical Union, Amalgamated Clothing Workers' Union, Truck Pointers' Union.

The meeting was conducted in simple fashion. A few opening words by Comrade Asern; then the comrades filled out the registration cards.

The C. E. C. commission, consisting of Comrades Lovestone, Asern and Minor then classified the registration as to occupation, place of work and place of residence. The results were the formation of the three shop nuclei and two street nuclei.

Elect Nuclei Officials.

The shop and street nuclei formed, held meetings immediately and elected temporary officers and arranged for the next meeting. A provisional section executive committee was formed from temporary representatives from each shop and street nucleus. The section executive arranged to meet soon in order to take up the immediate party work.

As the section meetings in other sections are held, there is no doubt that many shop nuclei will be organized, and the others into street nuclei. The remaining sections contain the bulk of the membership. It will, however, be found that large numbers of the members who attend their assigned section meeting, live or work in other sections. The party will transfer these comrades where they belong. The membership in the various sections will equalize themselves, comparatively, which will admit of effective functioning.

The first section meeting is encouraging. Comrades should exert all efforts to get out the maximum attendance at the forthcoming section meetings. The next ones to be held are section 2, at Pullman, Standick's Hall, 305 East 115th St., on Wednesday, October 28 and section 5, northside, on Thursday, October 29, at Imperial Hall, 2409 North Halsted St. Comrades should follow the columns of The DAILY WORKER for news on the meeting, time and place of the section membership meetings.

When all of the section meetings have been held, Local Chicago, Workers (Communist) Party will be entirely organized on the shop and street nuclei basis.

Build the DAILY WORKER.

Petrich, Bulgaria, Gives Lie to Peace Promises of Locarno, Switzerland

By J. LOUIS ENGDAHL.

TODAY, Petrich gives the lie to Locarno. The thunder of cannon and the shedding of blood on the Greco-Bulgarian frontier blot out the picture of the dove of peace so carefully sketched in the "peace" gathering of the profit diplomats in the Swiss village.

The present strife between Greece and Bulgaria may be patched up temporarily. Already the heads of the "terror" government at Sofia have appealed to the league of nations. But "the league" is impotent; shown on a multitude of occasions, and if the war dogs now loose, are leashed again in the Balkans, it will be because the anti-labor tyrants who rule thru violence over the people of Bulgaria and Greece fear most of all the vengeance of their own enraged workers and farmers.

Imperialist France, following the world war, was given the protectorate of Morocco and assumed the league of nations' mandate over Syria. But that has not brought peace to North Africa or to the Near East. Instead, the French chamber of deputies receives the information that France has lost more than 17,000 men and has spent more than 3,000,000,000 francs in Morocco since assuming the "peace" duties of "the League." Premier Painleve told the story in figures to the parliamentary lackeys of French imperialism: 2,176 dead and 8,297 wounded in Morocco, and in Syria 6,626 killed, wounded or missing. Then the premier announces that he will ask additional credits of 300,000,000 francs for the six months' period of July-December, 1925, to be spent in Morocco alone.

It is easier to write imperialist treaties in Paris, for the subjugation of colonial peoples, than it is to carry them into effect. France has been learning that very effectively during the last few months in North Africa and Abd-el-Krim says his people can keep up the war for six years if necessary if the protests among the discontented workers and peasants of France can be taken as a criterion, it looks as if that won't be necessary. The growing solidarity of the French proletariat with the battling Moroccans will attend to that.

Aristide Briand, the French foreign minister, as presiding officer, has hurriedly called "the league" together for Monday to consider the matters at issue between Greece and Bulgaria. Balkan wars before 1914, were not considered as important by the so-called "great nations" of Europe as they are held to be at the present time. The Communist International has come into existence since the great war and points the way to real peace among these peoples of southern Europe, the peace that will rid the workers and farmers of their oppressors, and push the red frontier of the Soviet Union deeper into western Europe.

The celerity with which the Frenchman, Briand, responds to the call for help from the Bulgarian hangmen of workers, would indicate that Paris has ulterior motives; just as there is basis for the claim that Great Britain is egging on the aggressions of the Greek fascists. The British and the French face each other again as they did not long ago in the Turkish turnover that brot Mustapha Kemal Pasha into power.

The lie is given to Locarno. It is not so easy to settle the contradictions within the capitalist system; to eliminate the basis of conflicts between competing imperialisms. That can only be achieved thru the triumph of the workers over the present ruling class and the development of a world economy. New war flames in the Balkans must light the way for greater solidarity between the workers and farmers of the many Balkan states in their struggle for an All-Balkan Soviet Federation.

Engdahl Pictures Reactionary Antics at Atlantic City

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introduced. On the questions of amalgamation, trade union unity, class collaboration and the labor party, he depicted the line-up against the propositions. His description of Green stating that the resolution on class collaboration was a piece of impudence aroused laughter among the audience. Naturally Green would view with disfavor a resolution striking at his connections with the capitalist class of this country.

On the labor party question all the big guns of the convention—President Green, John P. Frey, of the molders, Jim Lynch of the printers—declared that some day a labor party would rise, but the time was not yet ripe for it. Aside from delegates supporting the left wing in all its demands, Max Hayes, of the International Typographical Union, was the only one who took the floor for a labor party.

Purcell's Reception.

The appearance of A. A. Purcell, of the British delegation, and his plea for world trade union unity and recognition of Soviet Russia, caused the machine to mobilize its batteries to defend its reactionary position. Particularly illuminating was the description of the fulsome praise given to the Coolidge administration in refusing to recognize Soviet Russia. Green enunciated a Monroe doctrine (?) of labor, to the effect that since the doctrine of the government was "protection" of both North and South America from European domination, so the A. F. of L. must regard labor in the same light; hence the Pan-American Federation of Labor.

The closing remarks of Comrade Engdahl were greeted with enthusiasm as he concluded with the prediction that the left wing forming in the labor movement in this country would eventually gain leadership of the labor movement and place it in line with the working class of the rest of the world, instead of playing the game of imperialist as it does today.

Gasoline Price War Continues in Attempt to Kill Independents

(Special to The Daily Worker)

PARIS, Ill., Oct. 23.—The gasoline price-cutting war in this section still continues in the effort to force independent dealers from the field.

In Paris dealers are holding out for the old rate while neighboring county towns are selling for 13 cents. Reports state that individual rural dealers have made a new low rate of 12 cents per gallon.

Union Bootblacks on Strike in New York's Upper West Section

(Special to The Daily Worker.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—About 800 bootblacks of upper westside New York shops are striking for \$22 to \$26 a week; one day's rest in seven; hours of 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. except Saturdays 8 a. m. to 10 p. m. and Sundays or holidays 8 a. m. to 3 p. m. The workers are members of the newly organized United Hat Cleaners', Shoemakers' and Bootblacks' Independent Local Union.

Judge to Hear Plea Against Higher Fares

This morning a hearing will be held in Federal Judge Adam C. Cliffe's court. Attorneys for the Chicago and North Western railway company will plead for a temporary injunction to restrain the Illinois commerce commission from interfering with the collection of the increased, suburban passenger fares which becomes effective Tuesday morning. Attorney General Oscar Carlson is expected to appear for the commission to oppose the railroad's plea.

Wrap your lunch in a copy of the DAILY WORKER and give it (the DAILY WORKER, not the lunch) to your shop-mate.

CALLES EXHIBITS VERSATILITY IN MEXICAN AFFAIRS

Cute Senorita Was Only Aiding the Nation

(Special to The DAILY WORKER.)

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 23.—President Calles of Mexico may be harsh and unbending towards the labor unions who do not want their wages cut and their unions destroyed or turned into aids to the bosses, but Senor Calles has a forgiving and kindly side to his nature.

This is shown by his speech at San Luis Potosi, where he came to the defense of his finance minister, Pani, who, in an expedition into the United States on mission of state business, probably a call at Mr. Morgan's well known bank, was accompanied by a beautiful actress of old Spain, one Gloria Faure, who from all accounts endeavored to compensate Senor Pani in some measure for his enforced absence from home and fireside.

"Boys May Be Boys."

This became a public scandal in Mexico when in the house of parliament a rude representative of the oppressed peasants, or speaking in their name at least, one Soto y Gama, said that Senor Pani—and other government leaders as well, ought while in office at least, act like respectable married men. Instead, Senor Pani, with the treasury of the Mexican republic in trust, was cavorting off into the empire of the Yankee, disobeying the Mann "white slave act" with Senorita Gloria in the most brazen manner. "Boys may be boys," said Senor Soto y Gama, but they should not be finance ministers.

Calles, in his speech settled the matter, as dictators are wont to do, by charging that the derelictions of Senor Pani had been caused by the "enemies of the government" and that too, for mere "political reasons." "Senor Pani," said Calles, "is doing splendid work to redeem the nation."

And he added that while some demagogic politicians were trying to find objects to throw in Senor Pani's way, he, Calles, would not. Thus, intimating that the Mexican republic should be grateful to Senorita Faure for her collaboration with Senor Pani in "redeeming the nation" by a visit with Wall Street.

This done, Senor Calles declared that any of the railroad unionists who tried to resist his orders to reduce the number of men employed and cut the wages of those at work, should be tried by court-martial and executed; again proving the versatility of the president of Mexico, one Plutarco Calles.

New York Industrial Group Organizers to Meet on Monday Night

NEW YORK CITY, Oct. 23.—All leading party members in each industrial group and all branch industrial organizers meet Monday, October 26, at 8 p. m., at 108 East 14th St. All groups must be represented: needle trades, metal trades, building trades, leather trades, printing trades, etc. This is the regular monthly meeting of all industrial functionaries. All comrades concerned must be present without fail.

(Signed) Bert Miller, Industrial Organizer.

Attention, Pittsburgh! Everybody Must Come

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 23.—A meeting of all barbers, members of the Workers Party, of Pittsburgh and vicinity will be held in the party headquarters, 805 James St., N. S. Pittsburgh, Tuesday, Oct. 27, 8 p. m. All members must attend.

A meeting of all members of the Workers Party engaged in the food industry, both union and nonunion members, will be held in the party headquarters, 805 James St., N. S. Pittsburgh, Pa. on Wednesday, Oct. 28, 8 p. m. Everybody must attend.

If you want to thoroughly understand Communism—study it.

State Governors Ask Repeal of Tax on the Rich

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Illinois, one member of the committee, declared that "for months there has been an intensive and expensive educational campaign on in my district to repeal this law."

Arguments used against the estate tax are "economically unsound," said Rainey, "but they are widely disseminated." I, for one, would like to know where the money comes from, to finance this campaign.

Both Chairman Green of Iowa, and Representative Garner democrat of Texas, expressed surprise at the growth of the "tax clubs" in their respective states. The Texas and Iowa tax clubs have had a field day before the committee, urging repeal of the estate tax.

A score of states were represented before the committee today, either by the governor or his representative, among which were Illinois, and Minnesota.

BOSSSES DRIVE AGAINST NEGRO CONGRESS FAILS

Workers Send Delegate Despite Threats

WARREN, Ohio, Oct. 23.—When the Negro workers in the Trumbull steel plant circulated a leaflet in the shop telling about the American Negro Labor Congress that was to be held in Chicago, starting October 25, at the Metropolitan Union House, 31st St. and Giles Ave., the bosses threatened any worker who dared to go to the congress with immediate discharge. Nevertheless, the Negro workers in the shop got together, elected their delegate and have sent him to Chicago.

Clergy Tools of Steel Bosses
The minister of the Second (Colored) Baptist church has in all his sermons attacked the American Negro Labor Congress and told the Negro workers to stay away from there. The steel company not trusting one sky-pilot to fool the Negro workers has had four others sent in. Every night meetings are held on High street near the Hippodrome Hall, where these ministers are doing their worst to poison the minds of the Negro against the idea of labor organizations.

Not only are the sky-pilots doing this work, but so are dentists and doctors of the city who are agitating among the workers to keep them from sending a delegate to the Chicago congress.

Try to Bull-Doze Negroes
In order to keep the Negro bull-dozed, attempts are being made to organize a chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, which claims that it will abolish segregation, lynching, Jim Crowism and get the American Negro "a fair deal" from the bosses without any labor organizations.

The local American Negro Labor Council has a membership of 116 Negro workers.

Probe Freight Rates.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today ordered an investigation of the proposal of the railroads to revise the freight rates on fresh meats and packing house products from Omaha and South Omaha, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Sioux City, and other western producing points to southwestern destinations. The proposed revision would result in both increases and reductions in the freight rates.

ARRANGE TO PAY, THEN ASK LOANS SAYS WALL STREET

(Special to The Daily Worker)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—American bankers are in complete accord with the desire of the administration to deny loans to foreign governments which have not made final arrangements to fund war debts to the United States, Charles E. Mitchell, president of the National City Bank of New York, declared after a conference with President Coolidge today.

Mitchell directed his remarks particularly at France.

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AMERICAN-MADE HORTHY REGIME AND HUNGARIAN SOCIAL DEMOCRATS IN NEW DRIVE AGAINST WORKERS

BUDAPEST, Hungary. (By Mail).—The Horthy regime has started a new series of raids on the workers and has thrown hundreds of workers into jail. Not only are members of the Hungarian Communist Party being thrown into jail, but also some of the members of the Hungarian Workers' Socialist Party, whose only crime consists in splitting away from the social-democratic party and forming a new alliance.

Long Term Sentences.
Many Communists are in jail with prison sentences ranging from 10 to 15 years for their participation in the proletarian dictatorship which was overthrown by means of American money that was used by the Horthy gang. This American money was supposed to have been used by the present Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover, in the Coolidge regime in America, who was in charge of relief work to aid the starving people of Hungary. Instead it was used to destroy the workers' dictatorship and place the Horthy terrorist regime in power.

Social-Democratic Stool Pigeons.
In the drives being made by the Horthy police on the villages and cities in Hungary, the social-democrat leaders, Peyer and Feidl, are assisting the police to destroy not only the Hungarian workers' socialist party, but also all other elements that may be opposed to it on the political field. The attitude taken by Horthy is that any working class movement in Hungary which opposes the social-democrat is a Communist movement.

The workers of Hungary driven to desperation by the continuous lowering of the standard of living and persecution of the Horthy regime are again following the leadership of the advance guard of the Hungarian workers, the Communists.

Over 350 workers have been arrested in the new outbreak of the terror regime.

Torture Rakosi.
Mathias Rakosi has had to suffer torture again at the hands of the police in their attempt to force a "confession" from him which could be used as an excuse to send him to the gallows to double-quick time.

A "confession" alleged to have been made by Mathias Rakosi has been printed and circulated quite widely in the Hungarian press. In this confession Rakosi is purported to have said that he was unwilling to leave Moscow for Budapest and that as he was sitting at a table discussing the matter with a number of leading Communists in Moscow, a number of soldiers belonging to the Cheka, entered the room, levelled their rifles with fixed bayonets at him and demanded that he immediately leave for Budapest. Under these circumstances he had allowed himself to be persuaded to leave for Hungary as it was a question of death either at the hands of

ANTI-IMPERIALIST LEAGUE ARRANGES PROTEST AGAINST U. S. AVIATORS IN MOROCCO

The All-American Anti-Imperialist League is sending out letters to all Negro, Chinese, Hindu and white working class organizations on the south side calling for a united front demonstration against the participation of American aviators in Morocco. This united front demonstration will take place at the Pythian Hall, 207 East 35th street, Thursday evening, Oct. 29.

The following letter is being sent to all organizations of a working class character:

"Dear Brothers:
"American aviators have crossed over to Africa and are fighting on the side of the French robbers in their war against the brave Rifian tribes struggling for independence.

"We of the All-American Anti-Imperialist League are appealing to all intelligent, liberty-loving, class-conscious Negroes, Chinese, Hindus, and members of the white races to join in a gigantic protest demonstration against the participation of American aviators in the Rif war.

"Among the darker races all over the world, there has risen a new wave of the struggle for freedom. In the Rif country of northern Africa, in Mesopotamia and China, in Jamaica and other colonial possessions of the British empire, the people are demanding the right to conduct their own affairs free from the interference of imperialist powers.

"Why are France and Spain warring on the Rif? Because they want to bring the rich natural resources of Morocco under the control of the French and Spanish bosses. The soil of Morocco is rich in tin, copper and zinc. Its northern shore makes the approach of ships easy. The natives of Morocco can be made to work in

factories, on railroads and in mines for very little wages. And to force the natives to go to work for them, the foreign governments will seize their lands and drive the Rifians to the factories. It is for these things—tin, copper, zinc and cheap labor-power, that Abd-el Krim and his tribes are being slaughtered on the soil of northern Africa.

"While the American aviators now fighting Abd-el Krim are still in America, preparing to go to Africa, and while the American government was still able to stop them, it made no effort to prevent their going. In fact, some of these aviators even received their passports from the government, after they had declared their intention of fighting the Rifian natives.

"The hall in which the All-American Anti-Imperialist League is planning to hold this demonstration is Pythian Hall, 207 East 35th street, the use of which has been extended to us for the evening of October 29, by courtesy of the American Negro Labor Congress. This hall seats over 2,000 people.

"We are asking you to take part in this demonstration. In a few days we shall be sending you a number of leaflets, to distribute among members of your organization.

"Hands Off Morocco!
"Hands Off Africa!"

WORKERS' SCHOOL OF CHICAGO OPEN FOR ENROLLMENT

Act Now If You Wish to Join Classes

Enrollment is now under way for the classes of the Chicago Workers' School, organized under the direction of the district executive committee of the Workers Party. The school, of which Earl R. Browder is director, and Oliver Carlson is secretary, will open the first semester of eight weeks on Nov. 15th with the following classes:

"Elements of Communism," two classes: Max Redacht, instructor, one night per week, 8 p. m. H. M. Wicks, instructor, one night per week, 6 p. m.
"American Social and Labor History"—W. F. Dunne, instructor, one night per week, 8 p. m.
"Capital"—Volume I, Earl R. Browder, instructor, one night per week, 8 p. m.
"Imperialism and the National and Colonial Question"—Manuel Gomez, instructor, one night per week, 8 p. m.
"Public Speaking"—H. M. Wicks, instructor, one night per week, 8 p. m.
"English" (elementary and intermediate). As many classes as necessary to take care of enrollment, granted according to needs of scholars. Some classes one night per week, others two nights. Instructors: Lillian Borgeson, Ida Dalles, Amy Schechter.

"Research in Current Economic Questions"—Earl R. Browder, instructor, meets on Sunday mornings.

Three Semesters
There will be three semesters of eight weeks each, with intervals of one week between, in the school year. At the opening of the second semester in January, the following classes will be added to the curriculum:

"History of the Comintern," "Party History, Structure and Tactics," "Historical Materialism."
The rules governing enrollment are:
(1) All enrollment to be handled thru the director in cooperation with the school committee. Enrollments may be filed with Valeria Melts at local office, with Ida Dalles at national office, or with Rebecca Sacharow in research department, national office.

(2) No pupil can enroll in more than three classes.
(3) Each pupil must give satisfactory evidence that he is prepared by previous study for the classes in which he or she desires to enroll.
(4) All enrollment must be completed by Nov. 10, at which time the teaching staff and assignments to classes, are to be finally organized.
(5) An enrollment fee of \$1.00 shall be paid with application of each pupil, and 50 cents additional for each class more than one.

There will be a social affair given by the school on Saturday, November 14th, to celebrate the launching of the first Chicago Workers' School.

Watch the paper for particulars.

DRAMATIC SOCIETY TO "RESCUE" DAILY WORKER AND ELORE

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—The Bronx Elore dramatic society will hold its first annual entertainment and dance on Jan. 30, 1926, at the Bronx Lyceum Hall, 3rd Ave., near 170th St. Broke proceeds to go for The DAILY WORKER and UJ Elore.

We ask all Bronx party organizations to cooperate with us to make this affair a big success, and not to arrange any other affairs on this day, so that we can make this a big DAILY WORKER Rescue Dance.

GRAND OPENING of the American Negro Labor Congress

Sunday Evening, 7 O'clock, October 25, Pythian Hall, 207 East 35th Street.

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CAPITAL CONCENTRATION SHOWN BY GOVERNMENT REPORT; 1,000 FIRMS CONTROL HALF OF PROFIT

By LELAND OLDS (Federated Press Industrial Editor)

If you pick the right ones, control of 1,000 corporations means control of just about half of the country's corporate profits. Yet these 1,000 are about 1/4 of 1% of the total corporations reporting to the commissioner of internal revenue in 1923. This is the story of concentrated profiteering by the big trusts, told by figures in "Statistics of Income for 1923" issued by the commissioner. It shows how the big financiers are increasing their control of the surplus over a bare subsistence produced by the workers.

The figures show a group of 168 corporations with combined net income, after all possible deductions to escape the tax, of \$2,394,954,330. The entire 398,933 corporations reporting showed a total of \$8,321,529,134. Thus less than one-twentieth of 1% of all the corporations took 27 1/2% of all the profits.

Concentrating Control.
The 1,026 largest corporations representing 1/4 of 1% of the total number took \$3,990,671,042 in profits or 48% of the total. And 2,115 corporations or just over 1/2 of 1% of the total number took \$4,743,524,129 or over 57% of all the profits.

If we include the upper 1% of all the corporations we are dealing with about two-thirds of the total profits. With some 400,000 corporations the country is turning over the bulk of its profits to about 4,000 of the total number.

The table shows the corporations distributed according to the size of their 1923 net income, together with the combined income of each group:

1923 Corporation Income	No. of Corp.	Total Income
Under \$2,000	99,240	\$ 87,992,887
\$2,000—\$5,000	48,269	153,069,832
\$5,000—\$10,000	27,602	199,336,286
\$10,000—\$50,000	39,764	881,426,019
\$50,000—\$100,000	8,258	577,485,489
\$100,000—\$250,000	5,942	923,065,165
\$250,000—\$500,000	2,149	748,679,327
\$500,000—\$1,000,000	1,089	752,853,087
\$1,000,000—\$5,000,000	858	1,696,716,719
\$5,000,000 and over	168	2,294,954,330

Reporting net income..... 233,339 \$8,321,529,134
Reporting no net income..... 165,594 (Deficit) 2,013,554,987

Total corporations..... 398,933 \$6,307,974,147

Industrial Variation.

The concentration of profits differs in the industries. In agriculture and related industries one out of the 9,860 corporations listed got \$38,735,391 or 42% of the \$92,201,206 profits reported and four corporations got \$46,101,431 or an even half of the total. In mining and quarrying 199 out of 18,509 corporations got \$197,296,828 or about 70% of the \$283,565,648 combined profits. In the transportation and public utility group 45 out of 2,113 corporations got \$706,835,314 or 56% of the total \$1,257,409,896, while 177 or less than 1% got \$978,687,276 or 78% of the total.

Among the 85,199 manufacturing corporations 98 received \$1,354,733,166 or about 32% of the \$4,271,899,449 total while 598 got \$2,324,860,706 or about 55% of the total. In the manufacturing of food products less than 1% of the corporations got 66 1/2% or two-thirds of all the profits. In textiles and their products 1.7% of all the corporations got 56% of the profits. In rubber products 2% of the corporations got 74% of the profits. In chemicals and oils 1% of the corporations got 67% of the profits.

That was in 1923. Since then the process of concentration thru giant mergers has been continuing rapidly.

Education Week.
American education week, sponsored by the United States bureau of education, will be observed from Nov. 16 to 23. It will be opened here at a dinner at the Hotel Majestic.

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Playing Horthy's Game

Secretary of State Kellogg is trying to outdo the performances of his predecessor, Charles Evans Hughes, in playing the dirty game of all European despots who ask American aid in stifling information regarding their terror. His barring of Countess Karolyi from the United States is the logical continuation of the Hughes policy when he barred her husband last year.

Both acts were dictated because the state department, under orders from Wall Street, does not want to permit the real facts regarding the loathsome Horthy regime in Hungary to become known.

The charge that Countess Karolyi is a Communist is the veriest rot. Both her and her husband are bourgeois democrats, and the theory of the American government is approved by them—their not its present practice.

If Kellogg does not know this fact, his political bosses know it. But the delectable American government, as the agent of Wall Street, has an interest at stake in Horthy's Hungary, so in order to conceal the fraudulent nature of capitalist class democracy they must indulge in the absurd charge that the Karolyis are Communists.

We get a splendid example of the sort of freedom prevailing in this country when an ignorant shyster from the Minnesota hinterland who has spent his life as the lickspittle of the grain trust can bar people from these shores at his own discretion.

Whether they are Communists or not doesn't matter. If Secretary Kellogg says they are—upon information obtained from such an unprincipled liar, swindler and scoundrel as Szechenyi, the Hungarian ambassador, representing a murderous, thieving government—that settles the matter. Such irrelevant things as facts don't count with him.

For the workers of this country it reveals the fact that the same gang of international plunderers, directed from Wall Street who are preparing a new series of wholesale murders of the working class in Hungary cannot defend their regime and hence dare not permit the truth to become publicly known.

The Expulsion of Shafir

There is nothing particularly astonishing about the fact that federal unions of the American Federation of Labor expel members on any sort of frame-up that happens to prove convenient. But when the employees of a so-called labor institution, a labor bank, controlled by a union outside the A. F. of L. obviously with the consent of the bank officials, expel a member for introducing resolutions at a convention in favor of recognition of Soviet Russia and world trade union unity, then something is rotten in Denmark.

The case of Joseph Shafir, who was elected a delegate to the Atlantic City convention of the A. F. of L. and who was expelled from the union by a rump meeting called in the Amalgamated Bank headquarters, raises a number of questions.

First and foremost, the Amalgamated Clothing Workers' Union professes to be a radical union. It pretends to favor recognition of Soviet Russia. By what tortuous reasoning does it tolerate the expulsion of Shafir by its employees, thereby depriving him of a means of livelihood because he also is in favor of recognition of Russia? Secondly: Is the Amalgamated Clothing Workers' Union in favor of trade union unity, or does it intend to say "Amen" to the reactionary stand in this question taken by the Green regime in the A. F. of L.?

There is a great deal of explaining that will have to be done before Duane Swift, renegade radical, who acts in the bank as an informer for the capitalist press, and his employers, the directors of the bank, hear the last of this.

The membership of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers' Union will also have something to say about such contemptible conduct.

Two European Labor Leaders

Last Sunday a certain Herr Franz J. Fertwangler, a yellow trade unionist and social-democrat from Germany, who was one of the fraternal delegates to the Atlantic City convention of the American Federation of Labor, came to Chicago. No one knew of his arrival except the official machine of the Chicago Federation of Labor. He was welcomed by them and addressed the regular meeting of the federation. His reception was the usual polite one given such as he by his kind. The mass of the Chicago workers know nothing about him and care less.

In a short time another European labor leader is coming. He may or may not address the Chicago Federation of Labor. But his coming will be known and acclaimed by thousands upon thousands of Chicago workers who read of his determined stand in defense of world trade union unity before the agents of capitalism in convention assembled at Atlantic City. That labor leader is A. A. Purcell of England. And he will address thousands of workers at a public meeting—not an exclusive gathering of delegates.

Fertwangler will soon be forgotten even by those pie-card patriots who welcomed him, but Purcell will be remembered for a long time to come by the workers who will listen to his plea for unity of action on the part of the organized workers of the world and will struggle to put his demand, which is the demand of the advance guard of the working class, into effect.

Our prediction yesterday that Caillaux will probably be retired to private life before the next debt commission arrives in the United States, was vindicated sooner than anticipated. According to French dispatches the picturesque finance minister tendered his resignation yesterday evening as the franc hit a new low level, but it was not then accepted. European politicians tread on very uncertain ground, a soil quaking from economic collapse.

"Peace on earth, good will toward men," brayed the menagerie at Locarno. The echo was the rattle of infantry and artillery and the screech of shrapnel from the Greco-Bulgarian border.

Education as visualized by the United Typothetae of America now in convention in Chicago:—universal scabbery.

INVENTION MAY DOOM PRINTING TRADES UNIONS

Britisher Reveals New Typesetting Process

By H. M. WICKS

The employing printers in convention assembled at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in the city of Chicago listened yesterday to a remarkable address by A. E. Goodwin, London, England, director of the Federation of Master Printers of the United Kingdom and Ireland.

His analysis of British conditions re-echoed the analysis of A. A. Purcell before the labor convention at Atlantic City last week. And there was as much of a chasm separating the mental processes of Goodwin from the American employing printers as was evidenced in the case of Purcell when he addressed the fossils of the American Federation of Labor.

Describes Unemployment.
In discussing the economic conditions in England, Goodwin hit the nail squarely on the head when he said that "the rise of industry among oriental people is cutting into British manufacture. Japan and India too, are becoming strong competitors of my country in eastern markets, thereby injuring industry in the England."

He said this competition was responsible for the large unemployed army. Of course he did not propose any remedy, as did the noted British labor leader who addressed the convention of American labor leaders at Atlantic City.

Sees End of Typesetting.
Goodwin, in dealing with the technical side of printing, revealed a new invention that, if put into effect, will mean the doom of typesetting as we know it today, and throw thousands of printers out of employment. In fact it will at once blow destroy the whole basis of both the International Typographical Union and the Photo-Engravers' Union in this and all other countries.

Goodwin described a new machine now being perfected which he declared reproduces any figure, letter, or photograph almost instantaneously by transfer to a sensitized film base.

"J. R. C. August and E. K. Hunter of London, have been working secretly on this machine for the last four years, and they are about ready to demonstrate it to the world," Goodwin said.

"The machine operates like a typewriter but the whole process is almost instantaneous. The film is wound on a spool two inches in diameter and three inches wide and one spool is equivalent to 2,700 founts of type."

"It is readily adaptable to radio control and with it a man in one city can set book pages or newspaper pages in another city."

Thus the invincible march of the machine threatens this, one of the most skilled trades, in modern industry.

Scab Herders Perform.
Another speech before the sessions was that of E. E. Sheldon of the Lake-side Press, owned by the notorious scabherd and strikebreaker, Donnelly, of Chicago. Sheldon described a trade school conducted by the Lake-side Press wherein 500 apprentice boys and young men are taught printing and also citizenship, idealism, "Americanism" (the scab shop plan) and other illusions of the capitalist class. He described how this sort of "education" will make the slaves loyal to their masters and how it is profitable inasmuch as it reduces the labor turnover.

Berry in Evidence.
George L. Berry, strikebreaking president of the International Printing Pressmen and Assistants' Union, was in evidence in the lobbies, where he was completely at home among the menagerie of employing printers from all over the country.

Probably he was striving to get an opportunity to speak before the convention and convince them that his system of strikebreaking was far superior to that of R. R. Donnelly, Rand McNally's, Poole Brothers and others of the big scab bosses in the city of Chicago.

Teach Industry in Colleges.
Max Mason, president of Chicago University in a speech before the Chicago bar association predicted that in the very near future leading universities would establish institutes of industry similar to the institute of meat packers of Chicago University.

Wrap your lunch in a copy of the DAILY WORKER and give it (the DAILY WORKER, not the lunch) to your shop-mate.

400,000 Blows for the Soviet Union---Can We Strike More?

By C. E. RUTHENBERG, General Secretary,
Workers (Communist) Party

HALF of our party has responded to the appeal of the Central Executive Committee that we strike a million blows for the defense of the Soviet Union in celebrating the Eighth Anniversary of the proletarian revolution in Russia.

About half of the party units have sent in orders and are organizing the distribution of the leaflet, "Defend the Workers' Government of Russia." The half of the party which is making this fight for the Soviet Union has organized the distribution of four hundred thousand copies of the leaflet.

The question which naturally arises is whether only half of the party is sufficiently interested in the defense of the Soviet Union to do their party duty in helping to bring the cause of the Soviet Union before a million workers.

Every member of the party must know that capitalism is mobilizing for new attacks on the Soviet Union. Every news report of the maneuvers of the capitalist powers tell that story.

SCAB BOATS, NOT SCAB COAL, IS HILLQUIT CHOICE

Denies Connection with Burns Bros.

(Special to The Daily Worker)

NEW YORK CITY, Oct. 23.—Morris Hillquit is indignant. And it all happened because THE DAILY WORKER observed that Mawruss came home from the congress of the Second International on a ship manned by British scab seamen to look after his alleged interests in the Burns Brothers Coal company of New York which was importing coal from Germany and Wales to help break the anthracite strike.

But Mawruss would not write to THE DAILY WORKER (vile sheet of the vile Communists) to express the pent-up indignation that had been smoldering in his bosom along with what was left of his "socialist" conscience after collaboration at Marseilles with Scheidemann, Abramovich and the other Barmat leaders. Mawruss is indignant because THE DAILY WORKER had charged that he was interested in the Burns Brothers company, and he writes straight to the New York Times to answer THE DAILY WORKER, speaking as follows:

To the Editor of The New York Times:

"It has come to my notice that my alleged association with the firm of Burns Brothers has been repeatedly commented on, privately and publicly, in connection with the pending strike in the anthracite coal fields. Will you be kind enough to grant me some of your valuable space for a categorical denial of this alleged association? I have not been counsel for Burns Brothers since 1917. I do not own a single share of stock in the corporation and have no connection with it, personal, financial or professional."

"MORRIS HILLQUIT."

"New York, Oct. 19, 1925."

It appearing that Mawruss has the alibi proven on connection with Burns Brothers, why does he rub it in by alluding to the "pending" strike of anthracite miners who, somehow, had it in their heads that they went on strike Sept. 1. But laying aside trivialities, Mawruss has proven that he isn't profiteer from Burns Brothers' scab coal, even if he is a member of the Second International and even if he did travel on a scab-manned ship. Moreover, Burns Brothers hasn't offered him a job as lawyer. So that's that.

That little matter of the trip on the Majestic from Southampton to New York with a crew aboard of blackleg scabs furnished by the British fascist elements can scarcely be dodged so readily; but then the socialist ethic does not require that such matters be explained. The only comment that the socialist New Leader would vouchsafe about the affair was a scornful—"Isn't it awful!"—in reply to the criticism of the vile Communists.

Taxi Strikers Stand Firm; Organization Giving No Assistance

By Worker Correspondent

NEW YORK CITY, Oct. 23.—The taxi drivers of the Guardian Taxi corporation are still out on strike. All cabs are tied up and the men are determined to hold out until the company comes across with the flat rate of 40 per cent on all money booked.

Officials of the Taxi Limousine Chauffeurs' Local 643 are dead so far as organization of the unorganized taxi drivers are concerned. No organizer as yet has been sent in to the garages.

CHINESE FASCISTS UNITED WITH IMPERIALISTS USE MURDERS AND JAILS AGAINST THE KUOMINTANG

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apparently Shanghai. We say "is apparently" as the authors of the above-mentioned observations remain modestly silent as to the exact location of these societies and as to the nature of their participants.

We may clearly observe here a new tendency of the fascist movement, which is beginning to make its appearance under the guardianship of the charitable British colonies.

Native Merchants Hate Canton.

At the same time, a wild hue and cry is being raised against Canton, the stronghold of revolutionary China, and military action against the Kwangtung province is being prepared. One hears of the millions of dollars that this expedition is to cost and that it is being conducted by the troops of Marshal Chang-Tso-lin.

It would seem that this expedition is a reply to the manifesto of the Chinese chamber of commerce in Hong Kong which, on August 29th in an appeal to all, both in China and abroad, mentioned that "the present movement in Canton is ruining the trade of Hong Kong and Canton, and that the Canton government is to blame for this, operating as it does on the basis of Russian Bolshevik principles."

"It is further indicated that the control of all military and able forces are in the hands of the Bolsheviks. As their program indicates, they intend introducing Communism, and at the same time taxation of all property and real estate. The latest measures of the Canton government in addition to the introduction of Communism evidently still more threatening for the Hong Kong merchants (a one per cent tax on property introduced by the Canton government for the support of the striking workers was evidently too much for the patience of the good natured Chinese merchants of Hong Kong)."

If aid is not rendered in the near future, the ever-growing wave of Bolshevism "will continue to grow until it embraces the whole of China, and then all hopes of its restoration will be lost." Such is the warning issued by the merchants.

Not so Easy to Do.

The imperialists during the last week have been racking their brains to think how they can suppress the liberation movement of the Chinese people which has acquired such threatening forms. The most short-sighted of these, especially the British merchants and diplomats of Hong Kong and Shanghai have demanded the armed intervention of Great Britain in order to oust the Canton government and establish "law and order" in China.

Their slogan has been "no concessions" and "tranquility first and reforms afterwards." But according to even the modest calculations of the general staffs, such pacification would need an army of 200,000 men and from five to ten years military control over China to make the pacification at all hopeful.

In view of the present situation of the labor movement "at home," and in view of the enormous expenditure that such an expedition would entail, it is clear that it is impossible to organize such an undertaking now. The times of the "boxer rebellion" of 1901 have passed, humbly remarks the leading article of the capitalist press.

"Always Friends."

"We have always been the friends of the Chinese people, there has simply been a slight misunderstanding between us for which the Bolsheviks are to blame. This misunderstanding must be cleared up and what is more together with the Chinese nation we must liberate China from the ruinous influence of the Bolsheviks. And primarily, we must put an end to the

The answer to these maneuvers is the mobilization of the workers for the defense of the Soviet Union. Our party is beginning this campaign in relation to the celebration of the Eighth Anniversary of the Soviet Union. It has set as its aim to tell a million workers the truth about the Soviet Union thru the distribution of the party leaflet. Each leaflet is a blow for the workers' and peasants' republic and against capitalism.

The party organizations which have not responded to the call of the Central Executive Committee must do so at once. No unit of the party can be in the position of betraying the cause of the workers and peasants of Russia by failing to join the fight for the defense of the Soviet Union.

There is still time to act. Mobilize the members of your branch. Organize for the distribution of the leaflet in the shops, trade unions, wherever the workers can be reached.

Send in your order immediately to the National Office. The leaflets are \$2.00 per thousand, in lots of 10,000, \$1.50 per thousand.

Let us strike a million blows for the Soviet Union.

STEEL WORKERS DEMAND HORTHY RELEASE RAKOSI

Send Protest Telegram to Szechenyi

(Special to The Daily Worker)

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 23.—At a well-attended mass meeting of Pittsburgh workers arranged by the International Labor Defense branch, the following telegram of protest was sent to the Hungarian Embassy at Washington, D. C., and Senator Borah, calling for the release of Mathias Rakosi, former people's commissar of the Hungarian Soviet government and cessation of the terrorist tactics employed by the Horthy government in Hungary:

Vigorous Protest.
"Several hundred workers in mass meeting assembled last night in Pittsburgh, Pa., resolve to wire you their vigorous protest and indignation against the attempt of the bloody Horthy government of Hungary to murder Mathias Rakosi, former people's commissar of Soviet Hungary without even a fair trial demand immediate release of Rakosi and others also demand white terror in Hungary be stopped immediately."

M. Rasknik, Sec'y. International Labor Defense.

Ku Klux Trial May Not Be Held; Six Jurors Discharged

NOBLESVILLE, Ind., Oct. 23.—

Hope of securing a jury for the trial of D. C. Stephenson, Earl Gentry and Earl Kinnick for the death of Madge Oberholzer of Indianapolis last March, waned here today, as defense and state attorneys began questioning the third panel of one hundred men with only five tentatively accepted in the jury box. Six men who had been tentatively accepted were dismissed yesterday upon further examination, leaving the completion of a jury this week a matter of doubt.

Judge Will M. Sparks appeared considerably out of patience today as the ninth day of the trial found only five men tentatively chosen. He criticized both the state and defense on the long and entangling questions asked the prospective talesmen, and asked both sides to state their queries simply.

Illinois Federation of Labor Appoints an Education Committee

The Illinois State Federation of Labor appointed a committee on education headed by John English, member of the Chicago board of education. The committee is to start a survey of schools of the state particularly in reference to education of workers' children.

This move is the outcome of the educational policy adopted by A. F. of L. convention to look into the new trend in public school education which is for changing our former public school system for the work-study-play plan, with special emphasis on the work part. The committee will study the platoon system, intelligence tests and junior high schools.

Foreign Exchange.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Great Britain, pound sterling, demand 4.84 1/2; cable 4.84 1/2; France, franc, 4.21 1/2; cable 4.22; Belgium, franc, 4.55 1/2; cable 4.56; Italy, lira, demand 3.92 1/2; cable 3.93; Sweden, krona, demand 26.74; cable 26.77; Norway, krona, demand 20.36; cable 20.38; Denmark, krona, demand 24.82; cable 24.84; Germany, mark, demand —; cable —; Shanghai, taels, demand 79.50.

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